temple to these temples is under correspondence. It is requested that early orders may be passed on the subject.

Reply of Government.—The Deputy Commissioner's report is awaited, and he will be asked to submit it very early. The surplus fund of the Sri Chamarajeswaraswami temple cannot be used for better purpose.

SUBJECT No. 378.

Repairs to the two temples in the Arikere village.

Thimmannaiya of Seringapatam.

Summary of discussion.—There are two temples in the Arikere village, one dedicated to Vishnu and the other to Siva. The Vishnu temple in the midst of the village is in a dilapidated condition. It is feared that this may cause danger to the passers-by in the road adjacent to it. The Siva temple is also in the same state. The repairs to these temples are solicited.

Reply of Government.—If the devotees will contribute half the cost of repairs, the request will be considered. The Deputy Commissioner will also enquire into the matter and report on the condition of the temples.

SUBJECT No. 379.

Investment of the income from the lands endowed to Sri Narasimhaswami temple at Govindanahalli, Hunsur Taluk.

Mr. Narasinga Rao of Hunsur Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—The lands at Govindanahalli belonging to Sri Narasimhaswami temple at Hunsur have been leased out for a net yearly rent of Rs. 100. This amount, which is kept in the Taluk Treasury, may be lent out to some reliable persons and from the interest accruing therefrom the expenses of worship in the temple may be met. If this is not feasible, the income of the lands might be made over to the Archak for the satisfactory performance of the puja in the temple.

Reply of Government.—The Government have already directed the discontinuance of the practice of lending temple moneys to private individuals. Regarding the Archak being given the income from the lands, the Deputy Commissioner may be petitioned on the subject.

SUBJECT No. 380.

Repair of the Hanumantheswaraswami temple at Bannur.

Mr. Srinivasaiya, Bannur Municipality, T.Narsipur Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—The Hanumantheswara temple at Bannur is an ancient and famous one. The stone inscriptions show that many Inam villages had been endowed to the temple. There is at present only a "Paditara" of Rs. 1-3-2 a month and nothing else. The devotees have undertaken all Sevarthams. It is therefore prayed that the temple may be repaired at Government cost and the "Paditara" increased.

Reply of Government.—No increase of "Paditara" is possible. The devotees may supplement it by giving contributions. For repairs, the devotees may contribute half the cost.

SUBJECT No. 381.

Increase of the Tasdik amount to the temples at Talkad and necessary repairs thereto.

Mr. Sivabasavadevaru, T.-Narsipur Taulk.

Summary of discussion.—The amount realized from the trees planted to check the growth of sand hills in Talkad may, it is requested, be utilized for increasing the Paditara and Deeparadhane allowances of Talkad Panchalinga

temples buried in the sand. It is also prayed that the repairs to these temples be carried out early as per Government Proceedings.

Reply of Government.—It is not possible to make over the income from the trees to the temples. The question of repairing them is under consideration.

SUBJECT No. 382.

Increase of pay to servants and Tasdik amounts of Honnadevi temple.

Mr. Siva Basavadevaru, Land-holder Talkad, T.-Narsipur Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—The jewels of Honnadevi-ammanavaru and Veerabhadraswami of Sosale and of Mallikarjunaswami at Ukkalgere were sold by public auction and the amount of Rs. 32,485-8-7 realized therefrom is said to have been credited to the Muzrai Funds as can be seen from the *Mysore Gazette* of 13th April 1893. Representations were made in the previous Assemblies and to the Muzrai Department to increase the pay of these temple servants and also the Tasdik amounts. Though ten or twelve years have elapsed, nothing has as yet been done. It is therefore prayed that these grievances may be redressed early.

Reply of Government.—The matter will be attended to very early. The Deputy Commissioner will be asked to enquire as to which of the articles now in stock may be sold, and submit a report. Tasdik may be increased if funds are forthcoming.

SUBJECT No. 383.

A separate building for Madhavarayaswami temple.

Mr. Siva Basavadevaru, Landholder, Talkad, T.-Narsipur Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—The temple of Madhavarayaswami on the bank of the river at Talkad is likely to fall down. It is therefore prayed that early orders may be passed for the construction of a separate temple building.

Reply of Government. - In Government Order No. 1551, dated 20th September 1905, it has been ordered that as no private contributions towards half the cost of repair were forthcoming, nothing could be done in the matter.

SUBJECT No. 384.

Repairs to and management of the Basaveswaraswami temple at Hadya, Yedatore Taluk.

Mr. Madappa of Mysore Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—The roof of the temple of Basaveswaraswami in the Hadya village, Yedatore Taluk, Mysore District, being a tiled one, has come down, exposing the idol to sun and rain. A sum of Rs. 15,000, the proceeds of the Inam lands endowed to the temple, is at the credit of the said temple. Mr. A. Sreenivasacharlu, the late Muzrai Secretary, had an estimate prepared to make the building a terraced one at a cost of Rs. 1,115. In accordance with that estimate and as per orders issued at the meeting last year, it is requested that the building may be terraced early and the Inam lands now under Government management made over to the temple pujari after the completion of the repairs, the temple being left in the hands of the Dharmadarsis for the regular performance of the puja.